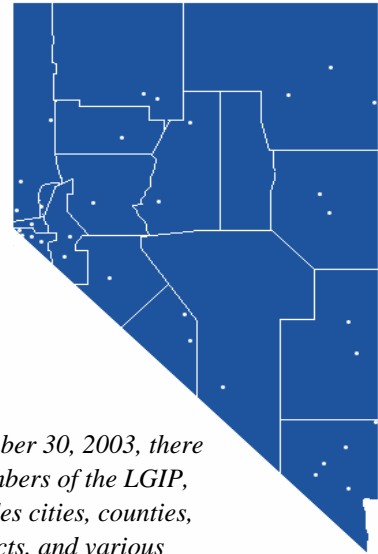


## Description

The State of Nevada Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP) is established as an alternative investment program to be utilized by local governments for their public funds. This program's operation is the responsibility of the State Treasurer, who, by the provisions of state statute, has adopted guidelines for the prudent investment of these pooled funds. Any local government, as defined by NRS 354.474, may deposit its public monies into this fund for purposes of investment. As of September 30, 2003, there were 77 members of the LGIP, which includes cities, counties, school districts, and various special districts. The LGIP's foremost investment objectives include safety of principal, portfolio liquidity, and market return, which is consistent with a conservative, short duration portfolio of securities. As of September 30, 2003, the portfolio had a par value of \$488,254,000.

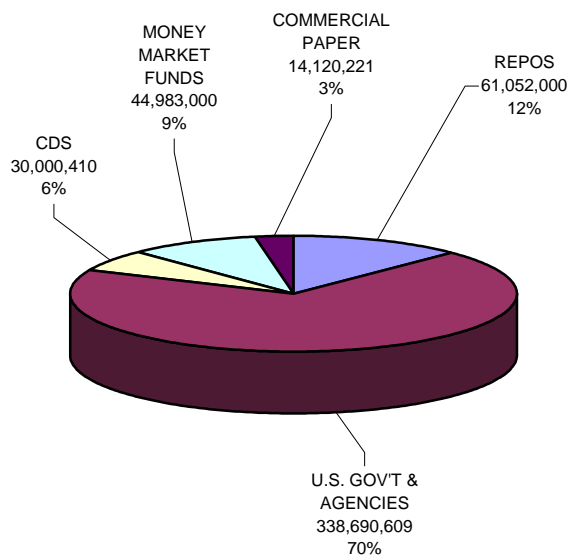


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## Investment Guidelines

The permissible investments of the LGIP include United States treasury and agency securities, repurchase agreements, high quality commercial paper, negotiable certificates of deposit, and banker's acceptances. These securities are diversified to prevent over-concentration in a specific maturity, a specific issuer, or a specific class of securities. The average maturity of the portfolio must not exceed 150 days, and no single security may be longer than two years.

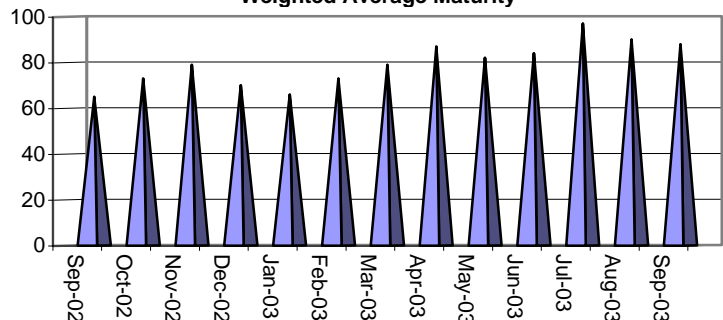
**Local Government Investment Pool  
Portfolio as of September 30, 2003**



*At September 30, 2003, the weighted average maturity of the LGIP was 88 days, and has ranged from 65 to 97 days in the past year...*

The LGIP maintains a conservative investment strategy, which incorporates the matching of maturing securities to the cash needs of the participants. Approximately 10% of the fund matures on a daily basis, ensuring sufficient liquidity to meet both anticipated and unanticipated withdrawals. In order to prevent the forced sale of securities prior to maturity, the LGIP imposes a "Minimum Liquidity Requirement" which projects the cash flow needed to pay obligations within a four-week period. All securities to be included in this requirement must mature within 28 days. At September 30, 2003, the weighted average maturity of the LGIP was 88 days, and has ranged from 65 to 97 days in the past year.

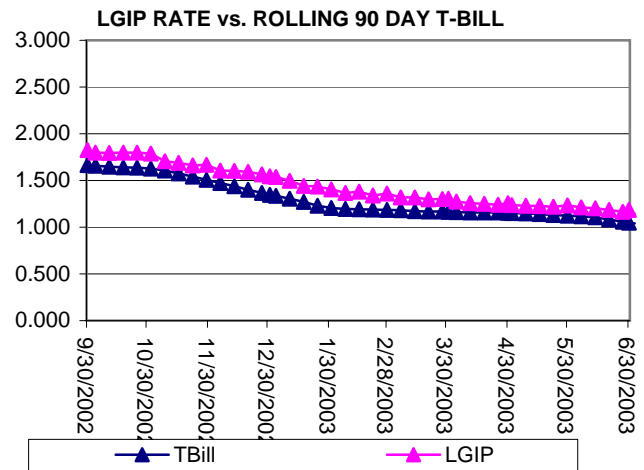
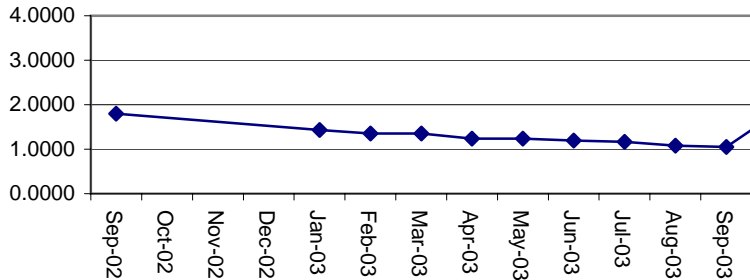
**Weighted Average Maturity**



## ★ Performance

The LGIP's investment performance is monitored on a weekly basis. The benchmark used to assess this performance is the 90 day United States treasury bill's average yield over the last 3 month period (Rolling 90 day T-bill). As of September 30, 2003, the LGIP outperformed this benchmark by 14 basis points.

**HISTORICAL LGIP DISTRIBUTED RATES**



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## ★ Administration

The State Treasurer adopted a Local Government Investment Pool Investment Policy, which was last approved by the State Board of Finance on June 11, 2002. In October 2002, the Association of Public Treasurers of the United States and Canada awarded the Certification of Excellence to the State Treasurer in recognition of his outstanding written investment policy for the LGIP. The LGIP is audited annually by an outside auditor, and may be audited at any time internally. Investment procedures and strategies are reviewed quarterly by the State Board of Finance.

### STATE TREASURER'S REPORT First Quarter Fiscal Year 2004

	<u>June 30, 2003</u>	<u>YIELD</u>	<u>September 30, 2003</u>	<u>YIELD</u>
REPOS	\$ 58,828,000		61,052,000	
U.S. GOV'T & AGENCIES	402,480,397		338,690,609	
CDS	20,000,776		30,000,410	
MONEY MARKET FUNDS	-		44,983,000	
COMMERCIAL PAPER	19,976,018		14,120,221	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 501,285,191</b>	<b>1.18%</b>	<b>488,846,240</b>	<b>1.08%</b>

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2002 YIELD: 1.83%**

**TOTAL INTEREST EARNED FY 2003 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2002: \$2,313,827**

**TOTAL INTEREST EARNED FY 2004 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2003: \$1,386,266**

### YEAR-TO-YEAR COMPARISON

	<u>September 30, 2002</u>	<u>September 30, 2003</u>
<b>TOTAL PORTFOLIO</b>	<b>\$ 509,143,498</b>	<b>\$ 488,846,240</b>